The following is the War Department weather report-divisions of telegrams and reports for the benefit of commerce. Observations taken

Place of Observation.	Height of Baro- meter	Thermometer	Wind of		State of the Weather
Augusta.  Baltimore.  Charleston, S. C. Key West, Fla. New York. Philadelphia Savannah Washington, D. C. Wilmington, N. C. Norfolk	30.04 30.06 30.08 29.85 29.95 30.08 29.93 30.04	45 65 68 37 47 67 49 65	SE SW SW CW	Zephyr. Pleasant. Pleasant. Zephyr. Gentie. Pleasant.	Clear. Clear. Cloudy Cloudy Cloudy Cloudy Clear. Clear. Clear.

Barometer corrected for elevation and tempe-

Marion Lodge, at 7 P. M. LaCandeur Lodge, at 7 P. M. South Carolina Institute, at half-past 7 P. M.

J. E. Bowers will sell at half-past 10 o'clock, at the corner of King and Mary streets, household furniture, &c.

boots, shoes and hats. William McKay will sell at 10 o'clock, at his

PERSONAL.—Chief Justice F. J. Moses is in

THE LADIES' FUEL SOCIETY returns Its men friends for their contributions.

prday of a call from Mr. Koopmanschaap, the ridely-known agent for Chinese labor. Mr. Koopnansolisap has introduced about 4000 Chines diligent, faithful and intelligent laborers.

the thief. She charges Ben. Drayton, who was ately discharged from the House of Correction, with the deed. The latter personage left the city on the same night, it is supposed for Savannah.

DEATHS. - Captain Peter M. Butler, of Clarendon, died on Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Cecelia H. Moise, of Sumter, grandmother

ofter a short illness. Mrs. Moise was formerly of RELEASED AGAIN. Heary Drain was tried of the Charge of an assault and battery upon Mr.

C. Mehrtens, about a week ago, in the store of the latter. The prisoner demanded a jury, to whom the evidence in the case was submitted. They returned a verdict of not guilty, and the prisoner was discharged. OUR PRICES CURRENT .- We especially invite the attention of our merchants to THE NEWS

Prices Current, issued this morning. Made up with the utmost care, and handsomely printed with entirely new type, it forms, with the business card of the house forwarding it, the most attractive and welcome weekly commercial circular that can be used. Price, for ten copies or more, with business cards, two and a haif cents per copy; single copies five cents.

bar who have occasion to argue cases before that Huger, at Charleston. tribunal, and Judge Bond will receive their thanks for the accommodating spirit which has prompted him to remove from Columbia for this especial

THE STATE AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL SOCIETY and the subscribers to the Joint Stock ning. General Hagood presided, and Colonel Aiken acted as secretary. A number of the counties in the State were represented. Arrangements

Mason (a son of the Hen. John Y. Mason, of Virginia,) who had served with great gallantry through the Confederate war as a private, and was wounded in the service, received from the then Emperor a commission as lieutenant in an infantry regiment serving in Algiers. Since that time we have lost sight of the young gentleman, although confident that he would gallantly do his duty in whatever sphere he might be placed. We now learn, from a paragraph that is going the rounds of the Northern press, that Lieutenant Mason has been wounded four times during the present war, is at present in a hospital, and has he may not one day wield the baton of a French deld marshal?

UNITED STATES COURT .- The District Court was opened at 16 o'clock yesterday morning, his Honor Judge Bryan presiding.

In re William H. Heyward, ex parte H. Deas, Jr., assignes Ordered that the report of the registrat ba condemed, and that the assignee do retain the sum of \$125 out of the funds in his hands belonging to the said estate;

The case of the Beaufort commissioners was then resumed, and three witnesses for the defence, among them A. Williams, defendant, havind been examined, the court adjourned at 3

o'clock until 10 o'clock, this morning.

MILLS HOUSE.

C. Koopmanschaap, San Francisco; F. E. Bristol, E. A. Judd, Connecticut; D. Holmes and wife, Brockport; M. M. Mott and wife, C. R. Ely, New York; W. S. Appleton, Boston; H. Mortimer J. Johnson, Savannah.

J. A. Brenner, Augusta; H. Ingils, J. W. Rice, D. K. Granger, Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown, J. Upson and wife, New York; G. W. Donnelly, Orangeburg; J. Rosenbaum and lady, Philade phia; W. L. Tate, Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. Elliott and child, Rhode Island; S. C. Owens and wife, E. A. Powers, Connecticut; T. Winan, C. White and wife, D. Winan and wife, Miss C. Laveaux, Baltimore; J. Morton and daughter, C. Schlosser, Brooklyn; N. R. S. Mayer, H. E. Purse, Washington; C. R. Noyes and wife, St. Louis; C. L. Bagg, J. W. Sanford, Q. A. Starr, W. L. Dawson, Summerville; B. R. Crosdale, Philadelph'a; A. M. Latham, St. Andrews; B. F. Williamson, Darlington; R. S. V. Hopkins,

PAVILION HOTEL W. B. Sams, John's I-land; W. H. Kennedy, Williston; C. Stone, Virginia; J. F. Rhame, Manning; J. W. Gordon, D. E. Gordon, South Carolina; Dr. A. L. Crosswell, Sumter; W. A. Entel, North Carolina; L. A. Dodge, Christ Church; H. Bush,

A meeting of the members of the Charleston Bar was held yesterday at 12 o'clock at the Equity court-room, for the purpose of paying a tribute of respect to the late Master in Equity, James W. Gray, Esq. On motion of Colonel Phillips, the meeting was organized by ex-Chief Justice Benjamin F. Duncan being called to the chair and Mar tin L. Wilkins, Esq , appointed secretary.

that they were assembled to render a tribute of respect to one whose life and character made him an honor to the brother ood au t to the community at large. For more than forty years he had occupied the responsible position of Master in Chancery for this district, and throughout that period his course had been repeatedly tested and approved by a discriminating Legislature. In performing the functions of that office, Mr. Gray had exhibited rare ability, while his fidelity to public duty conduced to the public welfare. Prompt, courteous and just, he embodied in his person those virtues which secured universal esteem, and made him an example among men.

REMARKS OF HON. J. B. CAMPBELL. Hon. J. B. Campbell then addressed the meet-

Hon. J. B. Campbell then addressed the meeting. He said:

Mr. Chartman—It was a few days since suggested to me, by several of my brethren of the Bar, that It would be agreeable to them if I would open these proceedings in their behalf, by offering to their consideration the testimony I might think it fit and becoming for them to give, upon the life and character of their friend, the late Master in Equity. I undertook that this, forgetful at the moment how likely it is that my taste and habit of expression on such occasions will fall short of the usual expectation. There can be no difference of opinion upon the character of Mr. Gray, or as to how he discharged to their fulfilment the highest duties, public and private, of life—and I have thought this opinion best and strongest expressed with the utmost simplicity. There seems to be something especially suitable in the use of the simplest language to speak of a character so simply pure as I think Mr. Gray's character. When I came to the Bar, I found him in office, where he had been, I think. two or more years. I have known him ever since in most of his relations of life. For more than twenty years he has been my near neighbor and friend, and with the experience of such an opportunity, enjoying the charms of atmost daily intercourse, and for a long time my judgment has been long fixed that his character was one of rare fatelity, purity and truth, the practice of which virtues he carried with admirable but unostentations firmless into his every day life. He never imagined he could do something better than justice according to law. He never thought there was a better way to serve the law than by its upright administration. I do not know that I could speak higher praise. I esteem it my good fortune that I may speak it truthfully. I have not, in the simple tribute I shall offer, attempted, and i shall not now attempt, any analysis of Mr. Gray's mind and temperament, or of his intellectual simple trioute I shall oner, attempted, and start not now attempt, any analysis of Mr. Gray's mind and temperament, or of his intellectual powers. That will, I am sure, be better done than I could do it by those who will follow me. They were cultivated and attractive to a very large

teachings of the great lights of that court on the subject of fiduciary relations, and, in matters of trust and condidence, I pray Heaven we may never relinquish the independence of the judiciary. A time-serving judge is a spectacle to inspire abhorrence." This language and train of thought comes back to me now after the lapse of near a quarter century, while I think and attempt to speak of Mr. Gray. No man ever taught by example and practice the guif-wide difference which separates the optight from the time-serving judge more distinctly than James W. Gray.

If there is any higher praise than that to be judge more distinctly than James W. Gray.

If there is any higher praise thau that to be spoken of any man. I don't know it—I cannot speak it. I subscribe fully to what I have repeated in the language of another, and again repeat, there is no character on earth more elevated and pure than that of an apright judge. Such I believe Mr. Gray to have been.

After these remarks Mr. Campbell moved the

ollowing memorial and resolutions: UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.—We are informed that his Honor Judge Bond, of the United States Circuit Court, will open court in this city on Monday next. The announcement will be received with satisfaction by the members of the bar who have occasion to argue cases before that

Huger, at Charleston.

He was called to the bar in 1827, and began
and followed the practice of his profession as the
junior partner of the late George Warren Cross
until 1829, when he was elected by the General
Assembly one of the Masters of the Court of
Equity, the duties of which responsible office he
continued to discharge under repeated continuous elections until the 31st day of December,
1868, when the court itself was overthrown, and
gave-place to an untried system for the administration of equitable jurisprudence.

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He survived the court, of which he had been so long a most important part, nearly two years, and then, on the morning of the 27th day of December, 1870, went peacefully to his final rest, in the 76th year of his age. For near forty years he discharged the mingled administrative and judicial functions of a Master in the Court of Equity. It was there, and in that responsible trust, that the whole Bar knew him especially. The administration of his office for that long period of years was the work of his life; by it, he will be most known and have the longest public rememberance. He was not long enough at the Bar to have left any very distinct traditional recollection of his career there. Perhaps the gentleness, firmness and purity of his nature were better developed in the exercise of administrative and judicial duries than could have been by the jostling conflicts of active professional life. His journey of life is ended in the fullness of years, and now, the Bar of Charleston—his brethren of the profession—as well those who is rvive to remember him before and when he came into office, and all the vay down through so many years, as those who have grown no remembering him only memoer him before and when he can the troops and all the way down through so many years, as those who have grown up remembering him only where they found him disciarging the duties of his office until its end, have come together to bear their testimony and pass their judgment how he bore himself in like, and in death what memory he

1. That, in their judgment, the late James W. Gray for nearly lorty years administered the great trusts of his office with firmness, fidelity, truth and purity. That justice, according to law, was in his neart, and was the standard and rule of his conduct. That his firmness and fidelity was so sweetened by gentleness of manner and assistance that his death is accepted by them with grief, softened by the contemplation of his well-acced public and private life—as magistrate; as the head of a family; as a citizen—the memory of which will be preserved by them with faithful affection.

The resolutions were seconded by General Jas. Simous in an eloquent and affecting address. He was followed by Alexander H. Brown, Esq.,

REMARKS OF A. H. BROWN, ESQ.

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Air. Chairman—It is my habit to attend such calls as these, and, save in a single instance. I have been content to remain a silent instener to the views of mental eulogy which these occasions elicit. Both duty and inclination, at this time, prompt me to say a few words as the willing testimonial I offer to the memory of my friend. My knowledge of Mr. Gray is of over forty years's conlinuance. I have known him as a gentle, skilled and upright practitioner at our Bar; I have known him as the just and efficient officer of the highest judicial, tribunal of the State; I have known him for this period without a single interruption in our social intercourse, and I have dwelt nigh him most agreeably as a neighbor.

That he was estimated gentle, skilled and upright as a lawyer is well attested by the fact that a discriminating Legislature conferred on him the distinguished official position of Master in Chancery. That his professional skill and unshaken integrity kept him in this high preferment for thirty-nine years, and even until han-ostion destroyed the venerable and time honored judicial system of the State. That during this time, as the tenure of his office periodically expired, he was again and again chosen. The capable administration of his high calling entrenched him so strongly that, although he passed through times of great political struggle and excitement, and then avowedly in the minority, the under hand of proscription never dislodged him.

In all his relations of life, as a husband, father, brother and friend, he stood a bright example and flied the measure of his duty. With the self-same gentleness that marked his entire life, he met the appreach of death. This messenger the purity of his lite disarmed of his terrors, and with calm resignation he went to his account. He made no marked demonstration of his herors, and with calm resignation he went to his account. He made no marked demonstration of his herors, and with calm resignation he went to his account. He made no marked demonstration of the hope of

Colonel B. H. Rutledge, A. H. Dunkin, Esq., and

Mr. James G. Holmes referred to the school-days of the deceased, when they were companions at the grammar school of Dr. Buist. There was but one other of their class-mates alive. From childhood to the day of his death he had been a friend of Mr. Gray. In the trials and difficulties of this life, no one conducted himself with more integrity and plety. For years they had been separated while at co'lege, but they resumed their friendly intercourse when they both commenced the study of the law. In the midst of a great political excitement, his (Mr. Holmes's) brother had sacrificed an office to secure for Mr. Gray the one which the latter had filled with so much honor. He found Mr. Gray through life the kind, good and gentle person described by his friends present, and it was sad indeed to be called upon to mourn the loss of one who had been a companion from youth to old age.

Mr. Nathans and Mr. Ficken presented the testimonial of the junior portion of the Bar in brief and appropriate addresses.

The preamble and resolutions were then unanimously adopted, and, on motion, they were ordered to be published.

The meeting then adjourned.

STEWARD OF THE FREUNDSCHAFTSBUND. Mr. W. Noite was re-elected on Tuesday evening steward of the Freundschaftsbund, a position which he has filled for a number of years.

REAL ESTATE .- There were several sales of real estate advertised for yesterday morning, but at the appointed time so few buyers were present that they were all postponed. One sheriff's sale of mortgaged property was effected, but as it was bought in by the mortgagee, to save himself, it is no criterion of the market, and we refrain from publishing it.

RETALIATION .- On Wednesday evening Jas. Johnson went to visit a friend, and liking the quarters made an agreement to put up for the night for fifty cents. He paid that sum, but when about to retire, the friend refused unless an additional fifty cents was paid. J. J. remonstrated, and refusing to pay the additional amount, de manded his original fifty cents. The friend refused and bade J. J. begone. He left, but while passing out bagged a pair of galters lying on his way out. The articles were missed, and Johnson vas arrested on suspicion. Being brought before the Mayor he pleaded the original contract, which the friend denied. The evidence being very conflicting, in consideration of the character of both the parties, the Mayor discharged the brisoner. and turned him and the prosecutor out of court

CLUBS AND STARS .- An enthusiastic lover of the drama, who could only console himself beween the acts by repeated visits to a neighboring saloon, got excessively drunk before the end of the performance, and being "Trudden down" turing the play, failed to get on his feet again. A friendly policeman assisted him to a bed in the Guardhouse, and he was liberated next morning

by the Mayor, with a slight reprimand. A young girl, white, was lodged for safekeeping. She was supposed to be insaue. Before the Mayor her gentle demeanor affected every one, but the vacancy and wildness of her replies showed her to be laboring under a mental de rangement. She was referred to the city registrar, who, upon examination, confirmed the imression of the Mayor. The patient is very quiet and peaceable.

Frank Amsterdam, lodged for peddling shirts and hats without a license, had a preliminary

hearing and was held for examination. ANOTHER BIGAMY CASE .- Billy Marion was rought before Trial Justice Magrath, yesterday morning, charged with assaulting and bothering his wife, Cella Marion, who was the prosecutor It seems that for several years the couple had been living in a state of unbroken felicity in the city until a few days ago, when Sarah Marion, who claims to be Billy's first wife, arrived in the city by his invitation, bringing her four children with her. What followed was but the natural consequence of having two wives married to the same man in one house. Billy was arrested for essault and battery, and the new-comer for mali clous trespass, on the amdavit of the enraged Ocita. The cases were tried yesterday afternoon, and both the defendants acquitted. A forma separation was agreed upon between Celia and Billy, and they departed to carry it into effect. In a short time they returned in a high quarrel over the partnership chattels, and wanted to know from the trial justice who was to have "de frying pan, de bedstead and de free chairs." In the heat of the discussion Celia again made her affidavit before the trial justice of the presence and existence of the arst wife and the going for her certificate of marriage, had Billy arrested on the charge of bigamy. Billy claims not to have been legally married to the first wife, but that it was in clave times, and "de boss tole him to tek her, and he tuk her." He was bound over for trial to-day, at which time the frying pan and pedstead matter will also be adjusted.

THE RESERT OF HARRY WATKINS .- A RARE BILL.-To-night, at 'the Academy of Music, another new drama, written by Harry Watkins, will be produced for the first time in this city. It, sentitled "A Warrior's Wife," and was performed in New Orleans with the most unequivocal uccess. The plot is based on an incident in the history of a leading Southern family during the late war, and it is said by the press to "bring viviely to mind a true picture of the sufferings and privations of the once happy family circle; demonstrating that heroic deeds were not con fined to brave men, but that the noble women of our land displayed a heroism rivalling the truest conrage of the battlefield."

The performance will conclude with a comic drama of life, love and folly, entitled "Cleopatra, or Caught at last," also written by Harry Watkins. It has been repeatedly performed on the New York stage, and the critics speak of it as a "delicious bit of fun-a sparkling vein of wit-and a budget of comic situations." Enough has been said and seen of Harry Watkins as a play writer and actor to make it unnecessary to do more than allude to the sprightly, natural and humorous style in which he always holds the mirror up to nature, and entraps the eyes and ears of his auditors from the beginning to the end of a performance. A Southern sudience will be sure to greet him to-night, and be the weather fair or foul, we hope the house will be thronged from private box gallery.

"Kathleen Mavourneen" was given last night with its usual success.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING .- The violent thunder storm which prevailed in the city on Wednesday evening, did not, it seems, pass off in a harmless manner. Two distinct places in the city were struck, and both in the northwestern part of the city, not far from Rutledge avenue. About halfpast 10 o'clock, on the night of the storm, Dr. S. Harleston's residence, No. 94 Cannon street, was struck by the lightning, but without any serious damage. There being no lightning rod to the house the electric current ran down the chimney into the house, and passed off, it is supposed, by the gas pipes. Two young ladies, members of the family, were struck, and for a time rendered insensible by the shock. The plastering was knocked down in several places on the inside of the

house, but beyond this no damage was done. On Rutledge avenue, one door from the southeast corner of Line street, a two story wooden dwelling house was also struck with more seri ous consequences. The building was occupied by a colored family named Turpin, nine in numper, who had all gone to bed, but fortunately all of them were in the west side of the house. Be tween 10 and 11 o'clock the east chimney was struck, and the whole of the chimney above the ouselop was knocked off. The weatherboarding on the northeast side of the house was torn off to the ground, and a dog which was sleeping under that corner of the house was killed outright. Strange to say, the inhabitants of the western part of the house were not affected by the current, but, understanding the cause of the trouble on the other side of the house, raised a tre mendous outcry. A small boy, who was probably hit ty one of the others in the rumpus, declared himself struck on the head, and, thinking the

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CRUMBS .- McKean Buchanan, the tragedian. was announced to appear in Augusta last night. The good citizens of Augusta have been in a perspiration of delight for the last week over ashionable masquerade ball which took place there, on Tuesday night. Our country cousins should come to Charleston and see how such

much needed repairs under the superintendence

Daily Advertiser, printed in 1785, has been amazing the optics of the editor of the Wilmington tar. He describes it as a 6x9 paper, printed in Charleston, "by J. Miller, printer to the State, Church street." The "port news" comes first under the editorial head, and "entered inwards" and "cleared outwards" inform the reader of the arrivals and departures of that day.

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Mr. John H. Holmes:

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CTATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF ELECTION FOR THE ELECTION DISTRICT OF ABBEVILLE COUNTY: Whereas, Hon. H. G. Lowax, who at the General Election held in October, 1870, was chosen a memer of the Senate of South Carolina, for the Elec tion District of Abbeville County, to serve the term of four years, has deceased; and whereas, the Constitution of the State of South Carolina directs that in such cases a Writ of Election shall be issued by the President of the Senate, for the purpose of filling the vacancy thus occasioned for the remainder of the term for which said member so dece sed was elected:

Now, therefore, you and each of you are hereby equired after due advertisement, and with strict regard to all the provisions of the Constitution and laws of said State, touching your duty in such case, to hold an ELECTION FOR A MEMBER OF THE SENATE of the State of South Carolina, for the County of Abbeville, to serve for the remainder of the term for which said member, Hon. H. G. Lomax, was elected; the Polls to be opened at the various places of election in said district, on THURSDAY, 16th day of Pebruary, 1871, by the various Managers of Election, for those places re-spectively, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of the General Assembly, entitled "An Act providing for the General Election, and the manner of conducting the same," approved March 1st, 1870; and this writ, together with your return of the election to be held under it, have pefore the Senate at its next meeting after the

ALONZO J. RANSIER, President Senate, Attest: J. WOODRUFF, Clerk of Senate.



TO THE COMMISSIONERS OF ELECTION FOR THE ELECTION DISTRICT OF GEORGETOWN COUNTY: Whereas, the Hon. J. H. Rainey, who at the General Election held in April, 1868, was chosen a member of the Senate of the State of South Carolina, for the Election District of Georgetown County, and drew a ballot to serve for the term of four years, has resigned; and whereas, the Constitution of the State of South Carolina directs that in such case a Writ of Election shall be issued by the President of the Senate for the purpose of filling the vacancy thus occasioned, for the re mainder of the term for which said member was elected:

Now, therefore, you and each of you are hereby required, after due advertisement, and with strict regard to all the provisions of the Constitution and laws of said State, touching your duty in such case, to hold an ELECTION FOR A MEMBER OF THE SENATE of the State of South Carolina, for the County of Georgetown, to serve for the remainder of the term for which said member, Hon. J. H. Rainey, was elected; the Polls to be opened at the various places of election, in said District, on THURSDAY, February 16th, 1871, by the various Managers of Election for those places respectively, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of the General Assembly, entitled "An Act providing for the General Election, and the manner of conducting the same," approved March 1st, 1870; and this writ, together with your return of the election to be held under it, have before the Senate at its

next meeting after the election. ALONZO J. RANSIER, President of Senate.



STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

TO THE COMMISSIONERS OF ELECTION FOR THE ELECTION DISTRICT OF CHARLESTON COUNTY: Whereas, Hon. WM. H. MISHAW, who, at the General Election held in October, 1870, was chosen a member of the Senate of the State of South Carolina, for the Election District of Charleston County, to serve for the term of four years, has deceased; and whereas, the Constitution of the State of South Carolina directs that in such a case a Writ of Election shall be issued by the Presiden of the Senate for the purpose of filling the vacancy thus occasioned, for the remainder of the terr

for which said member was elected: Now, therefore, you and each of you are hereby required, after due advertisement, and with stric regard to all the provisions of the Constitution and laws of said State-touching your duty in such case, to hold an ELECTION FOR A MEMBER OF THE SENATE of the State of South Carolina, for the County of Charleston, to serve for the remainder of the term for which said member, Hon. W. H. Mishaw, was elected; the Polls to be opened at the various places of election, on THURSDAY. February 16, 1871, by the various Managers of Election for those places respectively, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of the General Asembly, entitled "An Act providing for the Gene ral Election, and the manner of conducting the same," approved March 1st, 1870; and this writ, together with your return of the election to be held under it. have before the Senate at its next neeting after the election.

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